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The Other Side. A Warning.

Portland, Oregon, Jan 11 1862

We have been so accustomed to hear, that they are well situated, &c., &c., as a further inducement to emigrate, that we have almost forgotten that there is another side to the picture. Occasionally we hear of some one who has returned, disgusted with the country, but we have never yet heard the reasons why they were disgusted. Now that we have a country of our own, and the events of our country daily increase in importance, we shall not only write, but the public will be gratified to hear from all sides. In the Willamette valley, in the immediate vicinity of Portland, and in the most thickly settled portions of Oregon and Washington Territory, there are many persons who have been induced to leave their homes in the Eastern States, and have settled here, in the full belief that they would be rewarded for their labor. Many of these persons have become disgusted, and have left the country, and have returned to their former homes, and have published to the world that there was no chance for them here. Now, we do not wish to discourage any one from coming to Oregon, but we do wish to tell the truth about the country, so that those who come here may not be disappointed. We have been here for several years, and have had a good opportunity to see the country, and to know what it is. We have seen many persons who have come here, and have left the country, and have returned to their former homes, and have published to the world that there was no chance for them here. Now, we do not wish to discourage any one from coming to Oregon, but we do wish to tell the truth about the country, so that those who come here may not be disappointed.

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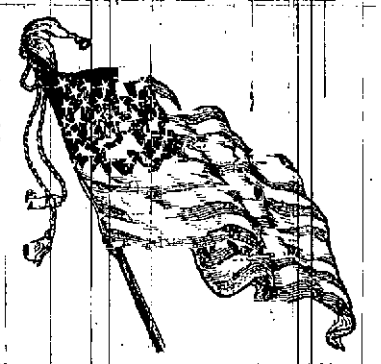

No flag but the Old Flag—the Red, White and Blue,
With the stars of a Union unbroke in and true
Arise and defend it! ye sons of the brave,
Whose blood bought the banner your valor must save.

FRIDAY MORNING, JAN. 10, 1862.

Treason.

The *Advertiser* of the 8th inst., in speaking of the acts of the Southern rebels, says: "WE BLAME THEM NOT; understand us, WE BLAME THEM NOT."

What were the early acts of the Southern rebels when the democratic secession party were in power—and before the inauguration of President Lincoln?

Let the following facts answer:

Dec. 27, 1860.—The United States revenue cutter *Aiken* was betrayed by her commander into the hands of the South Carolina authorities.

Dec. 31.—Reports from Charleston state that strong fortifications are going up in and around the harbor, to resist any reinforcement of Fort Sumter.

Jan. 1, 1861.—It is ascertained that military companies have been organized and drilled in Maryland and Virginia for months—some of them under the eye of an officer of the regular army—and that the object was to seize Washington.

Jan. 2.—Gov. Ellis, of North Carolina, dispatched troops to-day to seize upon Fort Mason at Beaufort, the forts at Wilmington, and the United States Arsenal at Fayetteville.

Gov. Pickens has accepted the offer of ten thousand volunteers, who hold themselves in readiness to march at a moment's warning.

Jan. 3.—The South Carolina Commissioners return home from Washington, after writing insulting letters to the President.

Jan. 4.—The United States Arsenal, at Mobile, seized by the Alabama troops, with large quantities of ammunition and arms. Fort Morgan, at Mobile, was also seized.

Agents of the Southern States are purchasing arms in New York.

Jan. 9.—The steamer *Star of the West*, with supplies for Fort Sumter, fired upon in Charleston harbor.

Jan. 11.—The arsenal at Baton Rouge, Louisiana, seized by the State authorities. Forts Jackson and St. Phillip, at the mouth of the Mississippi river, and Fort Pickens, at Lake Ponchartrain entrance, seized by the State troops.

Jan. 13.—The navy yard and Fort McRae, at Pensacola, seized by Alabama and Florida troops.

Jan. 24.—The arsenal at Augusta, Georgia, seized by the State authorities.

Jan. 30.—Revenue cutters *Cass* and *McClellan*, seized by the Alabama authorities.

Feb. 1.—The United States Mint and Custom House, at New Orleans, seized by the State authorities.

Feb. 18.—Jeff. Davis inaugurated as President of the Confederate States of America.

Feb. 25.—Gen. Twiggs betrayed all his command in Texas, with forts, public money, and munitions of war, into the hands of the Texas authorities.

All these events occurred while James Buchanan was President of the United States; and the arrangements for this rebellion were made by Southern members of Congress while they were acting under oaths of allegiance to the Union, and while the democratic party of President Buchanan was in power.

In view of all these events and others which have succeeded them, the Portland *Advertiser* says of the rebels, "WE BLAME THEM NOT; understand us, WE BLAME THEM NOT."

The *Advertiser* thus justifies these treasonable acts; thus "gives aid and comfort to the enemy," and announces its design to make its principles and its party successful in the coming Oregon election. This was avowed to be the object of Gen. Lane months since, and that object is not abandoned.

We have too much confidence in the patriotism of our people to believe that this State is to take the position towards our government now occupied by the rebel States.

The Other Side—a Warning.

We have an article under this head from our old friend, David Newsom. It contains practical good sense. He fears that many who will leave their farms the coming Spring will not make their pile, as they desire; and that it will be a capital plan for them to make some provision for a retreat back to the Valley. This would be the part of prudence, under the circumstances; and to do this, he suggests that they go to work as soon as the weather will suit, and put as much of their ground into wheat as possible; for, there will be a demand for more wheat the coming season than Oregon is likely to produce.

Mr. Newsom has some regard for the interests of the country, as well as of the miners. He says truly that if Oregon does not supply the mines with provisions, and to some extent articles of her manufacture, the gold gathered in the mines will pass out of the country. He says that the few weeks left before the stampede takes place for the mines, should be well employed in sowing wheat, to secure to unsuccessful miners something to fall back upon.

Which is the loyal man, Johnson or Sumner?

"I would not be personal, but an Abolitionist is as much a Secessionist as any to be found in South Carolina."—*Andrew Johnson.*

"The Abolitionists need no defence from me. It is to their praise, destined to fill an immortal page, that from the beginning they saw the true character of slavery, and warned their country against its threatening dominion. Through them the fires of Liberty have been kept alive in the United States."—*Sumner.—Portland Advertiser.*

From the time that Mr. Sumner was elected to the Senate of the United States, by the democratic party, it has been known that he sympathized with abolitionists, and but for the outrage inflicted upon him in the Senate by the bludgeon in the hands of a Southerner, he would have retired from the Senate on the expiration of his term. We have never believed in the slave doctrines of Mr. Sumner.

But we do believe with Andrew Johnson, that in this rebellion the abolitionists have been as much secessionists as any to be found in South Carolina. Both were for breaking up the Union—abolitionists that the free States might be a free nation; the secessionists, that the South might be a nation whose institutions should be based on slavery.

The Union party, made up of republicans and democrats, on the contrary, are for the continuance of the Union; and if, in the contest to secure this, slavery is used against them, we say with Andrew Johnson, quoted by the *Advertiser*, that the Union and government are worth more than slavery.

COTTON INTERVENTION.—The London *Economist* says, the hopes of the Secessionist that England will violate all national laws, and break up the blockade of Southern ports, for the sake of obtaining a supply of cotton, are idle and vain; and goes on to remark that "the resources of the South, never vast or very ready, are derived solely from the sale of their produce; for of accumulated funds they have no great store. The sale of their cotton in crop will, therefore, soon become to them an object of absolute necessity; and when they feel this, and can be definitively satisfied that forcible interventions from Europe is an idle dream, they will hurry their cotton down to the ports or to some easy and safe distance from the coast, so as to have it ready for shipment by any vessels that arrive and are prepared for the risk of endeavoring to evade the blockading squadron. At present they feel at ease, for there is no cotton gathered and packed, and no ships ready to receive it; so they can safely indulge in a menace which they hope will bring terrified Europe to their aid. But as soon as the cotton is ready to come forward we have no doubt it will be transmitted to the coast, provided they can be made to renounce their hopes of foreign intervention."

ELECTRIC TELEGRAPH.—In 1844, the first electric telegraph line was erected between Baltimore and Washington City, a length of forty-four miles—and there are now in America fifty thousand miles of telegraph.

MINERS FROM NEVADA.—A letter to one of our citizens from Virginia City, says that five hundred miners will leave that neighborhood for the Salmon river mines, as soon as the weather will permit.

NEW POSTMASTERS.—The following Postmasters have been recently appointed: George Coggan, at Glad Tidings, Clackamas county, and Thomas H. Cox, at Jefferson, Marion county.

BOUND OVER.—A lieutenant belonging to Fort Hoskins, has been put under bonds not to hang secessionists in King's Valley. So says the Corvallis *Union*.

Olympia Correspondence.

OLYMPIA, Friday, Jan. 3d, 1862.

Col. Justus Steinberger, U. S. A., arrived here yesterday on the steamer from Victoria, and is now engaged in seeking information from our prominent citizens as to the probability of raising a Regiment from this Territory. The great attraction of the rich gold fields now being developed in our Territory east of the Cascades, it is feared will defeat the enlistment of men. The Col. avows the right sentiments. He will not directly or indirectly aid to position any man who is doubtful. A man who pleads a want of supporting the Government, and yet is opposed to *its* administration, is by him regarded as laboring under disability. He has ordered the Lt. Colonelcy to that gallant Republican, Gilmore Hayes—and the unanimous hope is that he will accept. If this is an earnest of the Col.'s intention, abundant success attend his efforts. By the way, it should be remarked, the Colonel will not incur the possibility of any expense to the National Treasury until he has satisfied himself that the Regiment is likely to be raised.

In the Council to-day a number of bills of a local character, mainly ferry charters and special privileges, were acted upon.

A Joint resolution was introduced and passed, and afterwards concurred in by the House, to go into Joint Convention on Monday the 6th inst. to elect a Territorial Printer.

A Joint resolution was passed assuring the assessing and collecting of our quota of the direct tax imposed by act of Congress. And the committee of ways and means were on motion of Col. Hubbs, instructed to report a Bill to provide for its assessment and collection.

A Bill abolishing the office of Assessor in several counties, imposing that duty upon the Sheriff, was passed.

In the House, Messrs. Lombard, Ruth and Griswold, who had been appointed a Committee to examine the credentials of the newly appearing members, reported that Messrs. Aird of Clark, and McCall of Cowlitz, were entitled to seats and they were sworn in.

The Committee on Corporations reported the Oregon Navigation Bill, striking out the Section, and adding their original charter, and still leaving their charter, contingent upon the Legislature. Much opposition appears to exist, against granting any company the exclusive control of the Columbia river, the great feasible channel of travel to the mines, and it is doubtful whether this Bill or any of like character will pass this session.

A number of ferry Bills and charters were before the House.

On motion of Col. Cock, the Special Committee which made such a severe report against the Collector at Port Townsend, were instructed to furnish the evidence whereon they based their censure, and three days were allowed to collect it.

Mr. Griswold's Union Resolutions were handsomely passed without any amendment or alteration.

The Reports of the Territorial Superintendent of Schools, the Librarian, Auditor and Treasurer were presented and ordered printed.

Mr. Gardiner of Clark introduced a memorial for a weekly mail in Walla Walla, which under a suspension of the rules was passed. Mr. Bates of Spokane, a memorial to extend the public surveys, and the necessary appropriations, this memorial also passed.

QUID NUNC.

KANSAS CITY, Nov. 15.—Colonel Jennison and nine hundred men arrived on Independence early this morning. The town was surprised, and the citizens collected in the public square. The Union men and rebels were separated. Col. Jennison then read a proclamation, and announced that he would hold the latter responsible for the safety of Government trains. The stores of D. J. Porter, J. M. Frazier, and Morse & Fisher, proprietors with General Price, were confiscated. The house of Porter, as also the mill and three thousand bushels of wheat owned by Thomas Richards, a captain with Price, and two houses three miles from town, were burnt by order. They were the rendezvous of the rebels. Seventy horses, twenty wagons and fifty negroes, were also confiscated.

SOUTHERN FINANCES.—Robt. J. Walker, who is probably the shrewdest State financier in the continent, has prophecied that Mr. Memminger's Southern budget will be bankrupted by next Spring; and it would not surprise us if within sixty days the rebel experiment should terminate for lack of funds—if, in short, the rebellion should die out for lack of material sustenance.

R. J. Walker is now in Washington and sustains the Administration with all his ability. When he heard of the disastrous reconnoissance at Ball's Bluff he exclaimed, "Do not let us despair: we have the ships, the seamen, and the money. The rebels have neither. The army will not fail us, and the navy never will."

The Portland *Advertiser* of yesterday, more than usual, is filled with the nigger.

NEW TO-DAY.

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COUNTY ORDERS taken in exchange for Goods AT PAR, by

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Notice.

THESE PRESENTS are hereby informed that all creditors of the late firm of R. H. Langford & Co., Indian Agent on the Yakima Reservation, after the 1st day of January, 1862, are hereby notified that I am no longer authorized to issue them.

B. F. KENDALL late Sporting Agent Indian Affairs, W. T.

Olympia, Nov. 19, 1861. nov23tf

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The needle should have perpendicular motion this is absolutely necessary for heavy work.

It should be able to bind with a binder, hem with a hemmer; should stitch, fell, run and gather; and always ready to work.

It should be capable of using the same size thread on both sides of the work, and of using different colored thread or silk above or below, to correspond with any two colors of cloth to be united.

It should be able to make a long or short stitch, and to fasten off the seam and commence sewing tightly at the first stitch, and to run easily, and make but little noise.

It should have a wheel-feed; no others are in constant contact with the work.

It should not be liable to get out of order; neither should it require a screw-driver or wrench to set the needle.

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THE LATE SITTING of the United States District Court will be over this morning at ten o'clock, when the U S Dealy will deliver a deed to the City of Portland for the U P C Lownsdale claim, quieting the title of the city.

In the Circuit Court yesterday two suits were on trial by jury, and the latter is referred to the public.

FROM THE COLUMBIA.—Capt McNulty, of the steamer *Active*, arrived up and at this city night before last. He informs us that the Columbia river, at Cape Horn, is closed with two feet more to shore.

The steamer *Julia* had not arrived from St Helens last night at the hour of going to press. She was on her return from *Cowlitz* from Victoria, there.

DEMOCRATIC SENTIMENT IN MASSACHUSETTS.—The Boston *Post*, the great democratic press of New England, says: "The nation has a great work before it—to save a great and true union can show. But we cannot exaggerate its greatness—we have not exaggerated its length—and the sooner we take a long and large view of it the better. We must look far ahead, and go in for the war, and in this view we must take things coolly and quickly, stiffening our backbone to go through with anything and everything to insure the ultimate triumph which we have reason to expect and which we are bound to have and utterly ignoring, if need be, all sins of unfavorable incidents, the contemplation of which would tend to discourage and harass. It is with and bottom that this is the place that kills, as the South are beginning to discover—it is the last round that the nation is to gain. Yorktown out-waged the most numberless defeats that Washington experienced and met with so much stern but cheerful manliness. Cool, defying, unwavering pluck is what we need and must have in great and in evil. We should know too much to be disturbed by partisan figures—we should estimate events at their true, and not their new paper value, and even if the main object really went ill for a season (which is not the case at present, thank God, but for the sake of argument), we should still look forward to final triumphs as bold hearted soldiers fighting, armed with all human skill and power, and to the common success."

FRESH OYSTERS.—The ship *Carrier Dove* just arrived from Shoalwater Bay with a cargo of shucked oysters, is at the Commercial Wharf.

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CONCERNING STEAM COMMUNICATION BETWEEN CALIFORNIA, JAPAN AND CHINA.—To second the efforts of the New York Chamber of Commerce in securing a line of Government steamships between California, Japan and China, the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce recently discussed a memorial to Congress on the subject. It commences by stating that in its judgment a steamship line to Japan and China, in subsidized tradersor armed vessels, by which treasure shall be taken protected as a present and prospective commercial necessity, will be largely instrumental in bringing the American continent into closer proximity and strength, as to annual freights, and in San Francisco to gain inbound ships to $200,000 while but at present freights it recruits almost have equalled seventy-five millions dollars per annum. Cotton exports $200,000 per annum; Cotton exports $40,000,000 to the mast firm in the State. Recent shipments of hall have become tried with great advantage highly desirable that our hand silver speedily reach its best market on the Atlantic coast, as such a course will prove a great saving to the business of the United States. Such a line will give America great advantages over European merchants in rapid communication with the Orient and make New York and San Francisco the turning points of exchange to be paid for in bullion. The large amounts of silver now shipped direct to China from Central and South American countries would seek San Francisco for conveyance, that the number of commercial travelers on San Francisco to or from Asia is yearly increasing, that a line of steamers would divert the trade passengers and commerce of other nations to our ports, besides extending and strengthening our own, whilst the steam lines from Vancouver's Island to Chile would be tributaries to it, that the merchant marine and ship building interests of the Pacific would be spurred forward, and thus in time of war, California may be able to fight without and from the General Government; that our shipping and commerce on the American and Asiatic coast requires the protection of a steam navy; that our commerce with China has doubled within the last year, and trade with Japan is prevented from lack of a naval force attending it—American merchants will save by direct shipment of bullion to China, exchange interest and commission. These are the principal points suggested in the memorial, which goes over land by to-day's mail.

Madame de Stael was a prattling talker—Some gentlemen who wished to teach her a lesson, introduced a person to her who, they said, was a very learned man. The blue stocking received him very graciously but eager to produce an impression, began to talk away, and asked a thousand questions, so engrossed with herself that she did not notice that her visitor made no reply. When the visit was over, the gentleman asked Corinne how he liked their friend. "It most delightful man" was the reply. "What wit and learning!" Here the laugh came in—the visitor was deaf and dumb.

The great cry with everybody is, "Let me get on!" just as if the world were traveling post. How astonished people will be, when they arrive in Heaven to find the angels, who are so much wiser, flying no schemes to be made archangels!

"I say, boy, is there anything to shoot about here?" inquired a sport-man of a boy he met. "Well," was the reply, "nothing great about here, but the schoolmaster is down the hill yonder—you can pop him over."

Somebody says "devil" is a one in word any way it may be written. Remove the d and it is "evil;" remove the e and it is "vil;" remove the v and it is "il;" remove that and remains which has the aspirate sound of "hell."

It is a greater blunder in the pursuit of happiness, not to know when we have got it, that is, not to be content with a reasonable and possible measure of it.

Little Sallie was catechising her younger brother on the Lord's prayer. They went on very smoothly until she arrived at "forgive us our debts, as we forgive our debtors." "No, no Sissy—me won't do that," he refused to proceed until the desired alteration was made.—Little Pilgrim.

Michael Angelo after having painted the ceiling of the Sistine chapel, evinced a singular inconsistency. He could see but by one thing which he looked, was a wish to send a letter he had written, to a friend. This trouble vexed him exceedingly.

There is much truth in the thought that they become tired of dinner pot.

The sun is now vertical to the tropic of Cancer, and consequently casts no shadow at noon at Key West, Florida.

Why never lend money to a man who is in love? Because they will not return it. Because they are in love with their dreams.

Is your watch safe? If you hear a man in the streets, probably the first thing you can do is to raise the cry of "Watch watch!"

"What plan" said an actor to another "shall I adopt to get rid of my debts?" "Invite your creditors, was the surly reply.

Julius—What particular duty do the lamplighters dread the most? Sam—Don't really know, nigga. Julius—Why de left lieutenants, ob course.

Punch thinks that the carriage driver would make the best soldiers in the world, as no troops could stand their charges.

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